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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20

Gen. John B. Castleman was again elected president of the Louisville Board of Park Commissioners.

Milton H. Smith, president of the L. & N. railroad, has gone to Baltimore, where he will submit to a minor operation during the week.

Many old plantation songs were sung at Booker Washington funeral. A vast crowd of 7,000 to 8,000 people was present, many of them whites.

Earl Derby has announced that unmarried men will be conscripted for the army Nov. 30. Now look out for a lot of sudden weddings all over England.

The Liberty Bell will make a 30 minutes stop in Mayfield today on its way to Paducah, at the request of local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

At the gate of the prison in Frankfort, Mrs. William Bowling Tuesday night received the husband for whom she had waited and for whose release she had toiled for seventeen years.

During the past month Russian troops on the western (Russian) front claim to have taken Austro-German prisoners to the number of 674 officers and 49,200 men and captured twenty-one guns, 118 machine guns, eighteen bomb throwers and three searchlights.

The body of David McDonald, buried 47 years ago, was exhumed for removal in Louisville and found to be still lifelike. His face formerly beardless was covered by a beard a foot long. When the hermetically sealed casket was opened the body crumbled to dust.

Gov. Rye has granted another reprieve of 30 days to Henry Roberts, who is condemned to be electrocuted for the murder of Dave Dobbins, of Fayette county, Tenn., March, 1915. This makes the fourth reprieve granted to Roberts. This time the governor has set the date of electrocution for December 16, 1915.

## Etiquette Rules.

The proper place for a woman in her own automobile or carriage or box at the opera is the right-hand corner. People in this country are not so particular about this as are English and continental, but it is a point worth observing by those who wish to give form and elegance to the daily conduct of life. Ceremony and punctilio can be carried too far, as in India, where the laws governing the manners and practices of the various castes are complicated to an exasperating point. But a society entirely devoid of etiquette is apt to be crude and ungraceful. To draw a line between the ceremonial which makes it a capital offense for a subject to look at the lama of Tibet and the mannerless state of a mining camp is a perfectly possible achievement.

## Death to Snapdragons.

Though there is doubt if any dragons are living, snapdragons continue to die, especially if overwatered. One reader states she watered and tended her plants carefully, yet they turned yellow, died, and seemed to have no lateral roots when removed, coming out of the soil with little effort on the part of the puller. This clearly indicates what is known as stem rot, wholly due to too much water.

## Discouraged.

Charles, aged six, had been asking his father and mother for some time for a mudguard for the small bicycle which he rode, but the weather conditions had been such that his parents thought the purchase could be deferred. One evening his mother noticed that he had not said his prayers as usual and asked him why. "Well, mamma," said the lad, "I kept praying for that mudguard and when I found there was nuthin' stirrin' I just stopped prayin'."

## JOHNNY POE SERVED IN

## THE KENTUCKY MILITIA

Soldier of Fortune Killed in  
France Figured in Goebel  
Trouble.

A real soldier of fortune was John Prentiss Poe, Jr., best known as "Johnny" Poe, famous Princeton football star, who was killed in battle in France several weeks ago.

Poe was killed with his face to the enemy, when the British regiment in which he had enlisted, the famous "Black Watch," was practically annihilated in the British advance in the great forward movement of the Allies. The death he met was of the kind that his venturesome spirit had often pictured in fancy as a befitting end.

For, throughout his short lifetime, Poe was a seeker after danger and adventure, a man to whom death and danger offered no terrors.

After his career as a football star at Princeton, Poe, at the outbreak of the Spanish-American war, enlisted in the American army, but was unfortunate in not being able to see actual service. Still seeking adventure, he enlisted in a regiment in the Philippines, where Aguinaldo was making trouble.

Keenly disappointed at the lack of action he found in the Filipino insurrection, and knowing that the United States marine corps offered greater chances for excitement and adventure, he enlisted in that branch in 1903 by authority of the then Secretary of the Navy, John D. Long, for the threatened war with Colombia over the Panama Canal strip. That war never materialized, and since Poe could not think of "soldiering" unless there was "something doing," he was discharged from the marine corps.

Previously he had enlisted in the Kentucky State Militia during the Governor Goebel shooting trouble. Even duty on the "dark and bloody ground" during those troublesome times didn't bring him the excitement he craved, and he one time bitterly confided to marine corps friends, "I believe that if I ever get to hell I'll find the fires banked."

Still in pursuit of the elusive "strife," he became a captain in the Honduran army in 1907, when that country was at war with Nicaragua, and during the brief struggle got several thrills at the siege of Anapoi and the battle of Buena Vista. It was after the conclusion of that war that Poe, with five other Americans, who were serving in the Honduran army, became involved in some sort of trouble with the Government authorities, and, for a time, their lives were in jeopardy.

Later he engaged in various adventurous enterprises in many quarters of the world, and, immediately at the outbreak of the war in Europe, he appeared in London and offered himself as a private in the British army. He was accepted and assigned to the famous "Black Watch" regiment, and saw much active service, only to meet eventually the death that he had often braved during his short life.

## Notice To Creditors.

All persons holding claims against the estate of J. L. Goodnight, deceased, are hereby notified to file same properly proven before me, on or before Dec. 1st, 1915, or same will be thereafter barred, as provided by law.

MRS. EDNA W. GOODNIGHT, Ex'r.  
John C. Duffy, Atty.

## Church Statistics.

There are 50 religious denominations in the United States, 150 bodies, 176,094 ministers, 222,735 churches and 38,059,428 communicants. This shows that less than one-half of our population are not members of any church.

Notwithstanding there are 150 bodies, yet the real difference in the teachings of all these bodies is very small.

## Takes Truck in Tow.

Sacramento, Cal., was recently amazed by the sight of a new Maxwell touring car towing a five-ton truckload about the streets and suburban hills. The truck carried as part of its load another new Maxwell, and a lecturer who orated eloquently on automobile power.

## She Broke Down Entirely.

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## Candy Price List.

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## Mrs. Stanley.

Since we can afford but one telegram we shall wire our congratulations to MRS. Stanley—the woman behind the governor. Stanley has been the soldier at the front—absorbed in the strife. Mrs. Stanley has been the soldier's wife at home, enduring the hours of suspense. She has earned the hour of proud triumph and as one person Henderson rejoices that she is to be mistress of the governor's mansion of Kentucky four years. No governor ever took a worthier woman to Frankfort to be first lady of the Commonwealth.—Gleaner.

## Free Denistry.

Evansville has established a free dental clinic, which will be open four hours a day except July and August for the free service of school children whose parents are unable to pay the expense of dental treatment and for other worthy charitable patients. A dentist and an assistant will be paid \$75 and \$25 a month.

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and  
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## WHERE REAL TROUBLE BEGAN

Argument Between Hogan, Casey and O'Brien Progressed Smoothly Until Stranger Butted In.

When a man just naturally wants trouble it is mighty easy to find an excuse for making it. According to Mike Hogan, Casey and O'Brien were having an argument of their own. It had progressed to the extent that each had forgotten what it was about originally, and they were wholly oblivious of the gathering crowd until an urbane and genteel person in a frock coat put in.

"Come, come, my man," he said, gently plucking Casey by the sleeve. "You don't want to fight. I can tell it by your looks. Your face is too benign—"

"Two be nine! Two be nine, is it, ye scut?" bellowed Casey. "Me face is two be nine, is it?"

And there was where the real trouble began.—Louisville Times.

## Important Inquiry.

"Father," said the small boy, "couldn't George Washington tell a lie?"

"That statement has been seriously made, my son."

"Well, what did he do when his folks had unexpected company and he was told to say he didn't want any pie for dessert?"

## Hopeful Future.

"To tell you the truth," said the man who is ostentatiously cheerful, "the hotter the climate is the better I like it."

"I envy you and your calmness of mind," replied the sardonic person, "and trust, for your own comfort, that your ideas of future punishment are strictly orthodox."

## The Eternal Feminine.

Pretty Daughter—Papa, I'd like to give a party next week.

Papa—Why, my dear, you gave one only last week. Do you think it necessary to entertain your friends so often?

Pretty Daughter—But this is not to entertain my friends; it's to snub my enemies.

## Only Difference.

"One of my daughters has tonsillitis," exclaimed Mr. Growcher, "and the other has sprained her wrist."

"That's hard luck."

"Yes. Nothing seems to work out the way it ought to. The girl who sprained her wrist sings, and the one with a sore throat plays the piano."

## The Two Orders.

Business Manager—Well, how many orders did you get yesterday?

Traveler—I got two orders in one place.

B. M.—That's the stuff! What were they?

T.—One was to get out and the other was to stay out.

## A Correction.

Friend (intending to compliment)—I heard somebody say the other day, Mr. Nagga, that your wife was a fine conversationalist.

Nagga—She's nothing of the sort.

Friend—No?

Nagga—She hates conversation. She's a monologist.

## UNKIND.



Ella—He says that he shall never forget me.

Stella—No; you have one of those indelible faces.

No Cause for Alarm.

Omar—Death loves a shining mark they say.

Hazel—Oh, well, don't be uneasy. You're not so brilliant.

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